

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

(Caption of Case)

230446
230447
BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COVER SHEET

Filed: tdBy: CP/CP/CP S.A.Date: 6/15/11Time: 10:15

DOCKET/NDI 1994 718 C
NUMBER: 1999 - 468 - C

(Please type or print)

Submitted by: Scott ElliottSC Bar Number: 1872Address: 721 Olive StreetTelephone: 803-771-0555Columbia SC 29205

Fax: _____

Other: _____

Email: sellriott@elliottlaw.us

NOTE: The cover sheet and information contained herein neither replaces nor supplements the filing and service of pleadings or other papers as required by law. This form is required for use by the Public Service Commission of South Carolina for the purpose of docketing and must be filled out completely.

DOCKETING INFORMATION (Check all that apply)

☐ Emergency Relief demanded in petition☐ Request for item to be placed on Commission's Agenda expeditiously☐ Other: _____

INDUSTRY (Check one)	NATURE OF ACTION (Check all that apply)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Electric	<input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit	<input type="checkbox"/> Letter	<input type="checkbox"/> Request	
<input type="checkbox"/> Electric/Gas	<input type="checkbox"/> Agreement	<input type="checkbox"/> Memorandum	<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Certification	
<input type="checkbox"/> Electric/Telecommunications	<input type="checkbox"/> Answer	<input type="checkbox"/> Motion	<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Investigation	
<input type="checkbox"/> Electric/Water	<input type="checkbox"/> Appellate Review	<input type="checkbox"/> Objection	<input type="checkbox"/> Resale Agreement	
<input type="checkbox"/> Electric/Water/Telecom.	<input type="checkbox"/> Application	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition	<input type="checkbox"/> Resale Amendment	
<input type="checkbox"/> Electric/Water/Sewer	<input type="checkbox"/> Brief	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition for Reconsideration	<input type="checkbox"/> Reservation Letter	
<input type="checkbox"/> Gas	<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition for Rulemaking	<input type="checkbox"/> Response	
<input type="checkbox"/> Railroad	<input type="checkbox"/> Comments	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition for Rule to Show Cause	<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Discovery	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sewer	<input type="checkbox"/> Complaint	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Intervene	<input type="checkbox"/> Return to Petition	
<input type="checkbox"/> Telecommunications	<input type="checkbox"/> Consent Order	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Intervene Out of Time	<input type="checkbox"/> Stipulation	
<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation	<input type="checkbox"/> Discovery	<input type="checkbox"/> Prefiled Testimony	<input type="checkbox"/> Subpoena	
<input type="checkbox"/> Water	<input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit	<input type="checkbox"/> Promotion	<input type="checkbox"/> Tariff	
<input type="checkbox"/> Water/Sewer	<input type="checkbox"/> Expedited Consideration	<input type="checkbox"/> Proposed Order	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Matter	<input type="checkbox"/> Interconnection Agreement	<input type="checkbox"/> Protest		
<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Interconnection Amendment	<input type="checkbox"/> Publisher's Affidavit		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Late-Filed Exhibit	<input type="checkbox"/> Report		

RECEIVED

JUN 15 2011

PSC SC
CLERK'S OFFICE

ELLIOTT & ELLIOTT, P.A.
ATTORNEYS AT LAW

1508 Lady Street
COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA 29201
sellott@elliottlaw.us

SCOTT ELLIOTT

TELEPHONE (803) 771-0555
FACSIMILE (803) 771-8010

June 14, 2011

EFILE

Ms. Jocelyn Boyd
Chief Clerk and Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
Post Office Drawer 11649
Columbia, SC 29211

RECEIVED

JUN 15 2011

CLERK'S OFFICE

RE: Qwest Communications Company, LLC Request for approval of use of d/b/a

Dear Ms. Boyd:

As a result of the parent company merger between CenturyLink, Inc. and Qwest Communications International, Inc., Qwest Communications Company, LLC has elected to do business in the state of South Carolina as "CenturyLink." Accordingly, Qwest Communications Company, LLC would request that the South Carolina Public Service Commission authorize it to do business as "CenturyLink."

All of the customers of Qwest Communications Company, LLC are being notified of this change. Attachment A is a copy of the letter that is being sent to all customers in South Carolina during the month of June. Once the use of the d/b/a is approved, Qwest Communications Company, LLC will file the required documentation to reflect the new d/b/a in its tariffs.

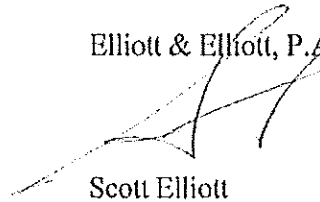
In addition, Qwest Communications Company, LLC respectfully requests that the Commission waive any notification requirements, including notice by publication requirements, since the company is in the process of notifying its customers of the use of the CenturyLink name. In addition, the new company intends to significantly advertise in its service territory the change to the CenturyLink brand, when the brand is officially launched (with a target date of early-August).

Ms. Boyd
June 14, 2011
Page 2

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Elliott & Elliott, P.A.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Scott Elliott", written over the firm name.

Scott Elliott

SE/jcl

cc: C. Dukes Scott, Executive Director, ORS
Nanette Edwards, Esq., ORS
Jeanne W. Stockman, CenturyLink
William Hanchey, CenturyLink
Zel Gilbert, CenturyLink

CENTURYLINK AND QWEST COMPLETE MERGER

QWEST WILL BEGIN OPERATING AS CENTURYLINK*

CenturyLink and Qwest are pleased to announce that our merger was completed on April 1, 2011.

Effective August 8, 2011, Qwest will begin doing business as CenturyLink, subject to necessary approvals. As a result, you will begin to see the CenturyLink name and logo wherever you now see the Qwest name and logo. This includes but is not limited to changes to, company vehicles, customer bills, advertisements, product names, offerings and technician uniforms.

Additionally, beginning August 8, 2011, for any paper or electronic bill payments you submit today to Qwest, you are encouraged to change the name from Qwest to CenturyLink. Until further notice, you should continue to utilize the standard payment address or banking information to submit either paper or electronic bill payments.

You will continue to receive services from the same Qwest or CenturyLink entity that provided you services before the merger under applicable tariffs and contracts. Only the name under which Qwest does business will change.

The companies are also combining their privacy policies. The new policy will be posted for your review along with instructions on how to provide us your input through the privacy link at the bottom of CenturyLink.com by July 8th, and will be effective August 8th.



Qwest is becoming CenturyLink.

CenturyLink embodies the idea of moving forward – helping customers to enjoy the benefits of the latest technologies and excellent customer service. Our name and logo represent the power of connecting people and businesses to each other and to new opportunities, across the country and internationally.

For additional information, please visit centurylinkqwestmerger.com. You may also continue to contact your current Qwest customer service center at 1 800-860-2255 (residential customers) or 1 800-860-1020 (business customers) or you may contact your designated Account Representative.

We understand you have a choice in communications providers and appreciate you have chosen us.

*Please be advised that this merger notice does not apply to Qwest federal government customers. Qwest will update the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) database with name change information and any payments by federal customers shall be made in accordance with the terms of the contract and, as applicable, an approved name change agreement.